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AMENDMENT

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action and Notice to Comply (copy attached) dated January 11. 2000, entry and consideration of the following amendments and remarks are requested; the period for response having been extended up to and including March 13, 2000, by submission of the requisite petition and fee, attached.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Amend the specification as follows:

Insert the attached Sequence Listing in place of that which was filed June 25, 1999.

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The attached paper and computer readable copies of the Sequence Listing are the same.